### THE SWEDISH AMERICAN PATRIOTIC LEAGUE

Presents the

112th MIDSUMMER Saturday, June 24, 2006



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### **SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

### Saturday, June 24th

10:00 a.m. Gate open for admission to Midsummer

Pool Open

Swedish Boutiques

Maypole Decorating at the Sports Lawn

10:00 a.m. - Noon Children's Crafts and Activities on Sports Lawn

10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Organizations Table

10:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Elva Kaffe on Patio at Clubhouse

12:00 Noon Raising of Maypole

Children's Dances Around the Maypole

1:00 p.m. Sveadal Tour - Meet at Maypole

3:00 p.m. Sveadal Tour - Meet at Maypole

4:00 p.m. "Rendezvous" at Organization Tables

Visit with Representatives

4:30 p.m. Midsummer Serenade

5:00 p.m. Parade and Midsummer Program on the Lawn

6:30 p.m. Dancing around the Maypole on Sports Lawn

7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Dinner in the Clubhouse

8:00 p.m. - Midnight Dancing Under the Stars



## The Swedish American Patriotic League SAN FRANCISCO EAST BAY CHAPTER

# WISHES ONE AND ALL A HAPPY MIDSUMMER ON ITS 112th CONSECUTIVE MIDSUMMER FESTIVAL

The Swedish American Patriotic League, a congress of local organizations, is dedicated to promoting and perpetuating our common Swedish heritage. The League is grateful to all the officers and delegates of the League as well as to the officers and members of all constituent organizations for a century of selfless devotion and labor promoting the activities of Swedish Americans in the San Francisco Bay Area. We pledge to continue their work and legacy for the benefit of future generations.

### **SAPL - SAN FRANCISCO**

President: Charlotte Weissenborn

Vice President: Twinkle Peterson

Secretary: Astrid Olsson

Treasurer: Erik Juul





### **SAPL - EAST BAY CHAPTER**

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Secretary:

Treasurer:

Karin Sayegh Ellen Morrison Walter Nyland

The officers of the Swedish American Patriotic League would like to thank the many committee members and friends for their support and efforts for continuing this annual tradition.

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### **ORGANIZATIONS TABLE**

You are invited to contact any of the following organizations to arrange a visit to a meeting

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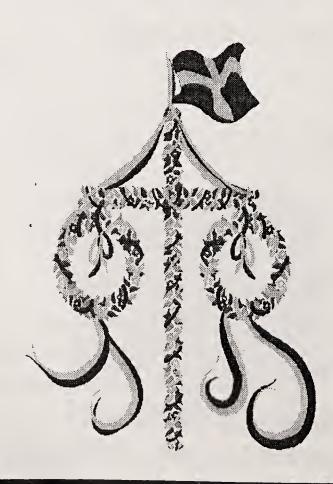
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VOA is the Vasa Order of America





### **CONGRATULATIONS!**

Gratulationer till vår **Midsommar Drottning** 

### ANITA DITZEL

Sveaborg Lodge #449, VOA

Vi önskar alla en GLAD MIDSOMMAR!





Wishing everyone a
Glorious Day
in our Beautiful Sveadal
Glad Midsommar!

The Masseys and Sayeghs

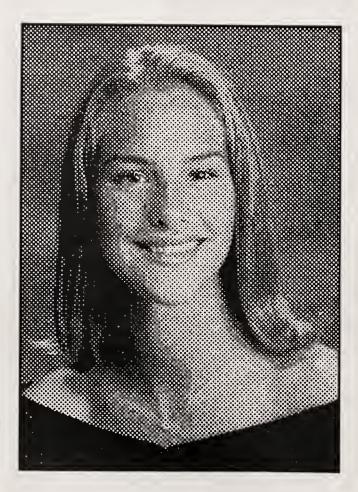
### **GLAD MIDSOMMAR**







Anita Ditzel
Queen
Sveaborg Lodge #449 VOA
Concord



Bonnie Bowman Svea Sveadal Cabin Owners Ass'n



Stephanie Van Horn Columbia Sveadal club

### The Sveadal Club would like to wish you all a Glad Midsommar



We are proud to have
Stephanie Van Horn
Representing the Sveadal Club
as
Columbia
on

Sveadal's 80th Anniversary

### **OUEEN**

Queen. She is 25 years and is the daughter of Solweig Sandell and Jack Ditzel. She has spent summers in Sweden with her mother, visiting relatives in her mother's home town of Linköping. These trips made it possible to learn more about her background language and culture. Her Swedish connection also grew stronger when her father married Ami Rådstrom, a Swedish teacher in Walnut Creek. Last summer Anita moved in with her dad and stepmother, in order to help Ami take care of her father who has Alzheimer's disease. Though I don't have much spare time, I like to visit with my big family and friends, go to concerts and movies, and spend time outdoors.

Anita has been an active member in Vasenbladet, Sveaborgs children's club. Throughout elementary school and into her sophomore year in high school, she also took part in Swedish language classes and now consider herself bilingual. When she has children of her own, she plans to enroll them in Vasabladet and in Swedish language classes so they may enjoy learning about their heritage the way she has. Both Anita's mother and stepmother are long time members of Sveaborg Lodge.

Anita is currently a student at California State University East Bay, Hayward, working towards her bachelor's degree in mathematics with a minor in psychology, and plans on teaching high school math. She also works part time as a sales assistant at The Produce Exchange in Livermore.

She enjoyed greatly Midsummer in Sveadal. This is a special year for her, as she is following in her sister's footsteps. In previous years, she has represented Sveaborg Lodge as a Maid of Honor, Columbia and Svea. She thanks Sveaborg Lodge for selecting her as Queen.

#### **SVEA**

Svea. Bonnie turned 21 last June, and is a recent graduate of Santa Clara University. She has recently been accepted into the Credential Program in the Santa Clara University Graduate School of Education, starting this fall. Her psychology major and mathematics minor will be very helpful as she plans on becoming a high school math teacher. The upcoming fall will also mark her fifth and last season with the Santa Clara Women's Soccer Team.

Balancing a rigorous athletic schedule with demanding academic responsibilities during the last four years has taught her to have fun as well. She loves camping, playing tennis and going on long walks on the beach.

Sveadal has always been a very special place to her. Her maternal grandparents, Erik and Mary Ann Erikson, own a cabin there and she can honestly say that Sveadal is her second home. Thank you so much to the Cabin Owners Association for selecting her as this year's Svea. It is truly an honor.

Bonnie's family has been involved with Swedish American Patriotic League's Midsummer Festivals for several generations. Julie Bowman, Bonnie's mother, was Svea in 1979, and her Morfar Erik Erikson, is a Past President of the Swedish American Patriotic League.

### **COLUMBIA**

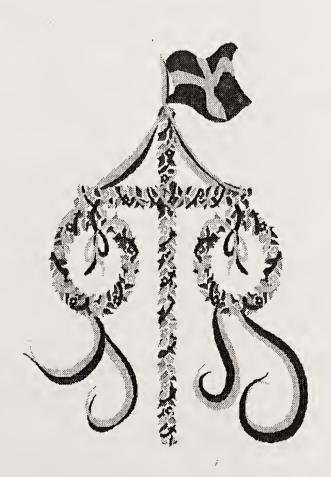
tephanie Van Horn represents the Sveadal Club. She is the 19 year old daughter of Jeff and Elise Van Horn, and lives in San Jose with her parents and brother Bryan. Her great-grandparents were Gus and Anita Nelson, and Axel and Greta Olsson. Her grandparents are Ann Marie and the late Rich Van Horn, and Ivar and the late Vera Nelson. She is fortunate in having many aunts, uncles and cousins in her life. All of her summers have been spent enjoing everything Sveadal has to offer: nature, recreation, family and friends.

Sveadal was the beginning of her work experience. Like all summer jobs, the days were long, the tasks varied, but she thoroughly enjoyed the people she worked with on a daily basis.

She is a 2005 graduate of Santa Teresa High School and is now attending West Valley college completing her general education requirements. Currently her major is communications - but who knows, that might change. She likes water polo and swimming, and these sports gave her the experience to play with athletes from around the world.

She is honored to represent Columbia in this year's Midsummer, and thanks the Sveadal Club for selecting her.

Her mother Elise was Queen in 1984 and her Farmor Ann Marie was Queen in 1954. both Ann Marie and Richard Van Horn have been Presidents of the Swedish American Patriotic League.



### SWEDISH AMERICAN PATRIOTIC LEAGUE SAN FRANCISCO

www.sveadal.org

Meetings: 4th Monday, Swedish American Hall
President: Charlotte Weissenborn (510) 651-0163

Vice President: Twinkle Peterson (408) 782-0653

Secretary: Astrid Olsson (415) 864-2945

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Fylgia Lodge #119 VOA, San Francisco meets 2nd Tuesday

Swedish American Hall, San Francisco

Chairman: Robert Erik Olson (415) 586-2022

Secretary: Torborg Lundell (415) 585-4919

Lindbergh Lodge #494 VOA, Palo Alto meets 4th Friday,

American Legion Hall, Los Altos

Chairman: Robert Wiklander (650) 948-3370

Secretary: Bea Andrews (650) 948-8018

Linnéa Lodge #504 VOA, Petaluma meets 4th Friday, Veterans Memorial Bldg.

Chairman: Ann Conger (707) 823-0334

Secretary: Ruth Duffy (707) 539-7627

Silicon Vikings

President: Olof Westerstahl (510) 333-5167

Secretary: Kjell Olsson (408) 887-9871

Svea Lodge #348 VOA, San Jose meets 3rd Friday, Odd Fellows Hall, San Jose

Chairman: Mona Clements (650) 964-7172

Secretary: Pat Nelson (650) 227-5499

**Sveadal Cabin Owners Association** 

President: Mark Hanley (415) 924-4550

Secretary: Gayla Bell (650) 589-3613

Sveadal Club meets 2nd weekend in February, April, June, December

President: Brian Parks (408) 251-6746

Secretary: Connor Massey (707) 251-5760

Swedish Club of San Francisco and Bay Area meets 2nd Wednesday

President: Lars Lenck (650) 357-1704

Secretary: Roger Steiner (415) 332-8811

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Swedish American Hall, San Francisco

President: Ramona Talbot (650) 583-3901

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Swedish Society of San Francisco meets 2nd Thursday

Swedish American Hall, San Francisco

President: Ernst Jensen (707) 644-2080 Secretary: Robert Peterson (209) 668-1820

### SWEDISH AMERICAN PATRIOTIC LEAGUE - SAN FRANCISCO Presidents

	1 I Colu	CIICS	
1895	Dr. Frederick Westerberg (July to July)	1950-1951	Stanley E. Gustavson
1896	Dr. Frederick Westerberg	1951-1952	Erland Siren
1897	Hjalmar Brunell	1952-1953	Alf Carstens
1898	C. K. Kjellstrom	1953-1954	Herbert Strom
1899	Andrew Olson	1954-1955	Sigurd Mortenson
1900	Dr. Oscar Gruggel	1955-1956	George Norin
1901	Emil Hogberg	1956-1957	Ramona K. Talbot
1902	Daniel Molander	1957-1958	E. Ernest Gustafson
1903	Alexander Olsson	1958-1959	Carl W. Svenson
1904	Alexander Olsson	1959-1960	George Frykberg
1905	Alexander Olsson	1960-1961	Fred A. Isackson (until Nov. 1961)
1906	Alexander Olsson	1961-1962	Raymond Lundgren
1907	Alexander Olsson	1962-1963	Kenneth Carlson
1908	Richard Dyberg	1963-1964	Stanley Dahlberg
1909	F. Otto Sjogren	1964-1965	Walter Nyland
1910	Dr. A. O. Lindstrom	1965-1966	Erik G. Erikson
1911	George Moren (until July 1912)	1966-1967	Gertrude Swanson Harrington
1912-1913		1967-1968	Hilding Nystrom
1913-1914		1968-1969	Dagmar Woinski
1914-1915	•	1969-1970	Roy T. Anderson
1915-1916		1970-1971	Ann Marie Van Horn
1916-1917		1971-1972	Richard Van Horn
1917-1918		1972-1973	Kenneth Wickholm
1918-1919		1973-1974	Kenneth Wickholm
1919-1920		1974-1975	Carl Mattman
1920-1921	•	1975-1976	Fred A. Isackson
1921-1922		1976-1977	Tom Juul
1922-1923		1977-1978	Harry J. Talbot
1923-1924		1978-1979	Susan Bianucci
1924-1925		1979-1980	Ernest Ferrari
1925-1926		1980-1981	Kenneth Weissenborn
1926-1927		1981-1982	Byron Jack Massey
1927-1928		1982-1983	Sverker (Gus) Brolin
1928-1929		1983-1984	Dennis Severson
1929-1930		1984-1985	Ted Olsson
1930-1931	_	1985-1986	James O'Connor
1931-1932		1986-1987	Louise Vogelsberg
1932-1933		1987-1988	Jim Bodine
1933-1934		1988-1989	Vonne Thurman
1934-1935		1989-1990	Mary Ann Nichelini
1935-1936		1990-1991	Greg St. Clair
1936-1937		1991-1992	Donald Morrison
1937-1938		1992-1993	Carol Anderson
1938-1939		1993-1994	Kurt Talbot
1939-1940		1994-1995	Carol Nichelini Madigan
1940-1941		1995-1996	Harry J. Talbot
1941-1942	_	1996-1997	Fred Vogelsberg
1942-1943		1997-1998	Dennis Anderson
1943-1944		1998-1999	Dennis Anderson
1944-1945		1999-2000	Karin Massey Sayegh
1945-1946 1946-1947		2000-2001	Karin Massey Sayegh
		2001-2002 2002-2003	Michael Bray
1947-1948 1948-1949		2002-2003	Axel Jonasson
			Paul Beroza
1949-1950	Armar winquist	2005-2006	Charlotte Weissenborn

### SWEDISH AMERICAN PATRIOTIC LEAGUE SAN FRANCISCO

In January 1895, the Swedish American Patriotic League was formed as an outgrowth of the Sweden Day committee for the Midwinter Fair in 1894. The idea of a permanent Swedish central organization to coordinate similar events in the future was proposed. The League was to consist of representatives from all interested Swedish organizations in the Bay Area, with the number of delegates to be determined by the number of members in each organization. The goals of the organization were: (1) to be active on behalf of the Swedes in California by supporting their mutual interest (2) to encourage them to act together (3) to arrange for a celebration of Midsummer Day (4) to assist and help interested countrymen, and (5) to promote the acquisition of a Swedish building. The present organizations that are members of the League are: the Swedish Society of San Francisco, Swedish Ladies of San Francisco, Swedish Club of San Francisco and the Bay Area, Vasa Order of America Lodges Fylgia Lodge No. 119 of San Francisco, Lindbergh Lodge No. 494 of Palo Alto, Linnea Lodge No. 504 of Petaluma, Svea Lodge No. 348 of San Jose, in addition to the Sveadal Club, Sveadal Cabin Owners Association and the Silicon Vikings.

The League member organizations have acted together as a group to entertain various people of distinction including members of the Royal Family. The League has played an active role in both San Francisco fairs: the Pan Pacific Exposition in 1915 and the World's Fair in 1939-40. They support various endeavors to further Swedish ethnic activities. The Sveadal property purchased in 1926 was envisioned first as a retirement home and eventually as a summer resort for members. The Clubhouse was dedicated by Crown Prince Gustav Adolph that same year. The lovely old historic building was completely destroyed by fire in 1979. The League worked diligently to replace it and did so completing the new building in 1986. The new Clubhouse was dedicated by the Crown Prince's granddaughter Princess Christina in 1988. Much of its activities today revolve around the operation, upkeep and improvment of the Sveadal summer facility. There are 49 privately owned cabins on the 108.2 acre property. There are 10 rental units on the premises for the enjoyment of members and their friends. Weekly family dinners and numerous sporting events are held throughout the summer. Member organizations take advantage of the bucolic setting and plan club outings to enjoy the unique and peaceful setting.

A Midsummer Festival has been held each year in the San Francisco area since the first one in1894 at the Midwinter Fair. This year the 112<sup>th</sup> Midsummer will be held in Sveadal and it is the longest festival of its kind outside of Sweden. It is part of the legacy that we, the descendants of the wave of immigrants that came to this country during the last century, are trying to preserve for the enjoyment and edification of our children. We have a fascinating legacy to pass on of both the culture of Sweden and America.

### SWEDISH SOCIETY OF SAN FRANCISCO

The Swedish Society of San Francisco is the oldest Swedish organization on the West Coast. It was formed in 1873 first as a singing club. The first president was N.P. Jacobson. By 1875 the members decided that they wanted a broader goal, namely to serve as a benefit organization for members in need and to hold Swedish literary and social entertainments. The chorus remained an active entity within the now larger club. They established a library which was housed in Scandia Hall, subsequently destroyed in the '06 fire and quake. In the aftermath of that catastrophic time, the Society decided to buy property at Sanchez and Market Streets and build a new Swedish Hall. This was done with all possible speed and the Swedish Hall was ready for use in December of 1907. The Hall is being refurbished and improved for an anticipated 100 year birthday party in the fall of 2007. The Society's primary activity now is the management, maintenance and operation of this lovely old building. The Society is no longer open for general membership but have an elected board of officers, directors and committee members for the above functions. They created a new reception area on the street floor, refurbished a new library and archival room in the building which will have books, pictures and records of some of the Swedish organizations in the area and copies of our 120 year old Swedish/American newspaper Vestkusten. Several Swedish organizations hold their regular meetings in the Hall and it is also rented out for other cultural events, weddings, seminars and musical concerts. The Society meets monthly at the Hall. The current president is Ernst A. Jensen.



### SWEDISH LADIES SAN FRANCISCO

The Swedish Ladies Society of San Francisco was formed in 1896 at the behest of the Swedish Men's Society. They wanted their wives to have a safety net organization to assist those in need from bereavement, sickness or ill fortune. There were 105 charter members. Membership was limited to Swedish women either by birth, marriage or descent. Selma Söderberg Hanson was the first president. The goals of the organization were to provide financial help tomembers in need and also to further Swedish culture in the new land. Membership is now available only for social activities. The club has provided good fellowship for its members now numbering about 21. The have a lovely annual Christmas party at the Olympic Club each December. Meetings are held at the Swedish Hall on the second Thursday of the month and usually involve lunch, games and good conversation. Many of the members are the daughters, granddaughters and great granddaughters of the original club members. Ramona Kuhnle Talbot is the current president.

### FYLGIA LODGE VOA NO. 119 OF SAN FRANCISCO

Fylgia Lodge was the first Vasa Organization in the Bay Area and formed in 1907. The first chairman was G. Alfred Johnson with a starting group of 34 members. The Vasa Order was started as a safety net for members and the additional goal of promoting Swedish culture. The name Fylgia is from Norse mythology and was a tutelary guardian spirit watching over a person or family. Over the years, the club was famous for its Drill Team which still performs at some Swedish functions. The Lodge has always paid special attention to children to instill pride of their ethnic background through language classes, music and dancing. Their new activity is saving archival material about Swedish immigrants. Meetings are held the second Tuesday of the month at the Swedish Hall with programs featuring Scandinavian culture – speakers, music and pictures. Membership is open to all men and women of Scandinavian descent or marriage. The current Chairman is Robert Olson. Membership now stands at 76.



### SWEDISH CLUB OF SAN FRANCISCO AND THE BAY AREA

The Swedish Club was formed in 1913 by Dr. A.O. Lindstrom and a group of Swedish business men of the Bay Area. There were 18 gentlemen at the first meeting. The primary purpose of the new organization was to show courtesy to visiting businessmen from Sweden, to entertain and assist them during their stay here. They wanted to enhance relationships between Sweden and America and open up business possibilities in both directions. It was an early day networking endeavor. Their second goal was to promote and enhance Swedish culture in the new land. Membership was limited to Swedish men, their descendants and those married to Swedish women. Membership now is open to men and women with a Swedish connection and associate membership open to other Scandinavians and to those interested in Swedish culture.

Club activities are held the second Wednesday of the month in Burlingame with dinner and beverages served. The programs usually feature some aspect of Swedish Culture. They have a big Julfest and Lucia party in December, an annual Crayfish dinner in the fall, wine tasting picnic and celebrate Midsummer at Sveadal in June. Membership now stands at 230 charming people. The members of this club have always prided themselves on having a good time while highlighting Swedish customs in music, dancing, holidays and ethnic enlightenment. The current president is Lars Lenck.

### SVEA LODGE VOA NO. 348 OF SAN JOSE

Svea Lodge of San Jose was formed in1916. The first chairman was John Erlandson. They were the first organization to switch from the Swedish language to English in 1948 for the benefit of second generation Swedes. Over the years they have sponsored a youth club and an installation drill team. The club specializes in celebrating Swedish holidays such as Valborgmässoaften with a bonfire and songs. For a while they had their own Midsummer festival but now participate in the League festival in Sveadal. It is a very active group now comprised of about 150 members. They meet on the third Friday monthly and programs consist of history and Scandinavian culture including singing, dancing, traditions and folklore. There is also an active hiking club. The current chairman is Ron Brockway.

### LINDBERGH LODGE VOA NO. 494 OF PALO ALTO

Lindbergh Lodge was organized in 1927 and gave the lodge the name of the hero of that time, Charles Lindbergh, who had achieved the impossible ... flying solo across the Atlantic. The first chairman of the Lodge was Ernest Thorson. The primary goal of the organization is to perpetuate Scandinavian heritage. Membership is open to all Scandinavians by birth, descent or marriage. They hold a Lucia fest and Pageant and this year will celebrate their 79th year. Programs are related to the customs, history, music, culture of Scandinavia and other topics of interest. Meetings are held on the second Friday of the month and frequently feature a Scandinavian dinner. There are 70 members. The current chairman is Charles Wallin.

### LINNEA LODGE VOA NO. 504 OF PETALUMA

Linnea Lodge was formed in November 1927 in Petaluma and by the close of that year there were 88 enthusiastic members. The first Chairman was John C. Gustafson. The primary goal of the organization was to assist members at times of distress and to perpetuate the Swedish heritage of their forefathers. Traditional music, songs and dancing are enjoyed by members. There is a children's club and a scholarship fund is available. The club has its own Midsummer Festival, a Lucia Day and feature typical Swedish dishes at meetings. Membership requirements are 15 years of age and a Scandinavian connection by birth or marriage. There are currently 88 members and meetings held monthly on the fourth Friday. Ann Conger is this year's Chairman.

### SVEADAL CLUB

The Sveadal Club was formed in 1949 with George Norin as the first president. The original group of five swelled from 60 at the first gathering to about 90 within a short time. The purpose of the organization was to maintain and improve the Sveadal recreation grounds and to promote traditional Swedish customs with particular attention to supporting youth participation. This group has been very successful in providing much of the materials, labor and money for the maintenance of the grounds and improvement projects instituted over the years since its inception. Work weekends are held in the spring to get the park ready for summer activities. The club holds an annual golf tournament, Love 30 tennis contest, a ski weekend, Christmas party, Lucia fest and a Sveadal Day costume party. Meetings are held in February, May, October and as needed. Membership requirements are over the age of 18 and a willingness to fulfill the club goals. Membership is now about 300. Brian Parks is the current president.

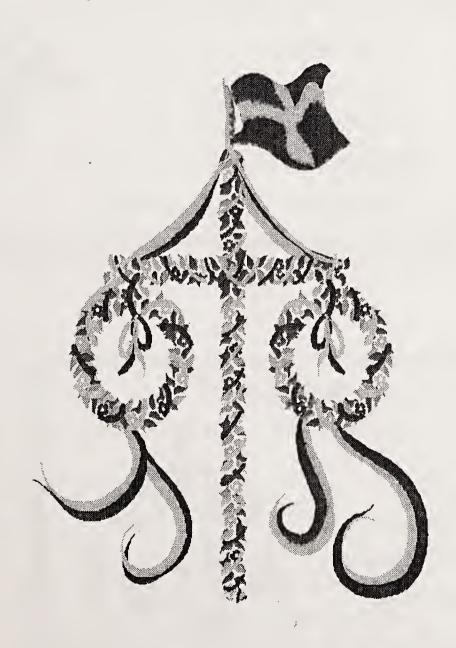


### SVEADAL CABIN OWNERS

The Sveadal Cabin Owners Organization was formed in May 1974. All cabin owners are voluntary members of this important organization. The first president was Earl Harvey. There are currently 49 cabins and most of them have representation at the meetings which are held at least twice a year (May & September) or as needed. Their primary concern is with the Sveadal community problems and how to solve them: especially those involving water, fire danger, cabin maintenance, and general upkeep of the grounds. All suggestions for improvements are submitted to the Sveadal Board of Governors for approval before any action is undertaken. They have a vested interest in keeping Sveadal in top shape and contribute many man/woman hours to achieve this. They are heavily involved in almost every aspect of Sveadal especially during the summer and participate in all of the activities for adults and for children. This Club is considered the backbone of the community by everyone. The current president is Mark Hanley.

### SILICON VIKINGS

The Silicon Vikings was formed in 1997. Kjell Olson, Magnus Erikson and Hakan Lindh were the instigators of this club. With the prevalence of many technical Swedish people on the peninsula, they thought it would be a great opportunity to create an organization where they might meet and exchange ideas and concepts. It is primarily a networking group. They host gatherings that are of professional and personal value and provide valuable information and effective communication to members. The membership represents more than 600 companies and they have over a thousand members. The Vikings have arranged a number of Swedish events and have breakfast and luncheon meetings with such ethnic features as crayfish parties, Valborg celebration and Lucia fests. They launched a web site in 1999 and publish articles and a newsletter. The group has official sponsors who are interested in Sweden, technology, business and finance. The diversity of companies represented is very impressive. The president this year is Richard Horning.



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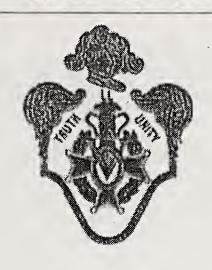


### Glad Midsommar

Lillian Walker
Fred and Susan Bianucci
Jack and Nancy Hysong
Cabin E-5 (est. 1931)







Glad Midsommer 2006

From

Fylgia Lodge #119

2nd Tuesday of the Month

7:30 p.m. except July

at the

Swedish American Hall

2174 Market Street

San Francisco, California 94114

Chairman Mr. Robert Erik Olson

> Secretary Torborg Lundell

Info: 415-585-4919

# Glad Midsommar



from our Columbia
Stephanie Marie
and the rest of
the Van Horn family



Greetings from Lindbergh Lodge #494 in Los Altos, CA. Enjoy the Convention. Come, visit us. All are Welcomel 650-948-8018



### THE QUEEN AND COURT

Queen

Anita Ditzel Sveaborg Lodge #449 VOA

Columbia

Stephanie Van Horn Sveadal club

Svea

Bonnie Bowman Sveadal Cabin Owners Association

#### Maids of Honor:

Karyn Stiles
Stacey Fassl
Alysse Fazio
Linnea Sauer
Karly Anderson-Pryor
Tori Snfrtdon
Caitland Wallin
Kelsey Stiles
Alexandra Talbot
Juliana Olsson
Stephanie Harmon

Swedish Club of San Francisco
Swedish Ladies Society - Jenny Lind, Oakland
Tegner Lodge #149 VOA, Oakland
Svea Lodge #348 VOA, San Jose
Linnéa Lodge #504 VOA, Petaluma
Framåt Lodge #405 VOA, Berkeley
Lindbergh Lodge #494 VOA, Los Altos
Fylgia Lodge #119 VOA, San Francisco
Swedish Ladies Society of San Francisco
Swedish Society of San Francisco
Swedish Society of Oakland

Crown Bearer

Natalie Ericsson

**Train Bearers** 

Anna Lise Natali Julie Barker

**GLAD MIDSOMMAR** 



### THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER

Oh say, can you see
By the dawn's early light
What so proudly we hailed
At the twilight's last gleaming?
Whose broad stripes and bright stars
Through the perilous fight
O'er the ramparts we watched,
Were so galantly streaming?
And the rockets red glare
The bombs bursting in air
Gave proof through the night
That our flag was still there.
Oh say, does that star-spangled banner yet wave,
O'er the land of the free
And the home of the brave?



### <u>DU GAMLA, DU FRIA, DU FJÄLLHÖGA</u> NORD

Du gamla, du fria, du fjällhöga Nord, du tysta, du glädjerika sköna! Jag hälsar dig vänaste land uppå jord din sol, din himmel, dina ängder gröna! Din sol, din himmel, dina ängder gröna!

Du tronar på minnen från fornstora dar, då ärat ditt namn flög över jorden. Jag vet, att du är och du blir, vad du var. Ja, jag vill leva, jag vill dö i Norden, Ja, jag vill leva, jag vill dö i Norden.

#### **Translation**

O glorious mountain crown'd land of the North, thou quiet thou joyous land, I love thee, I hail thee as fairest of lands on this earth; Thy meadows green, the sun in heav'n above thee, The meadows green, the sun in heav'n above thee.

Thy throne is the mem'ry of great days of yore, when all through the world thy name was carried, thou art this, I know, the same as of old.

In thee I'll live, in thee I'll die, thou North Land, In thee I'll live, in thee I'll die, thou North Land.



### 111th ANNUAL MIDSUMMER PROGRAM

Saturday, June 24, 2006 Clubhouse Lawn



**Fanfare** 

Cal Band Alumni
Peter Montalbano - Trumpet
Matt Bjork - Sousaphone
Mike Munday - Snare Drum
Theresa Wilkinson Carey - Piccolo
Linda Vogelsberg Beroza - Tenor Sax

**Processional Music** 

Carolyn Anderson, Kikki Nordin, Michael Nordin, Ernst Lance

Parade Marshal

Birgitta Kellgren

Past District Master, Golden Gate District Lodge #12

Fylgia Lodge Flag Bearers, SAPL Officers San Francisco and East Bay Chapters, Swedish Costume Group, Maids of Honor, Columbia, Svea, Crown Bearer, Midsummer Queen, Train Bearers

**Master of Ceremonies** 

Ted Olsson

Past President, SAPL San Francisco

**National Anthems:** 

"The Star Spangled Banner"

"Du Gamla, Du Fria"

Led by Ted Olsson

Led by Jan Nordin

Drum Roll: Harry Talbot, Drums

Welcome

Charlotte Weisssenborn

President, SAPL San Francisco

Crowning of the 2006 Midsummer Queen

Karin Sayegh

President, SAPL East Bay Chapter

Midsummer After the 1906 Earthquake

Muriel Beroza Sveadal and SAPL Historian

Sing-A-Long

Take Me Out to the Ball Game In the Good Old Summer Time Presentation of 2006 Columbia

Charlotte Weissenborn President, SAPL San Francisco

**Midsummer Greetings** 

Hon. Barbro S. Osher Honorary Consul General of Sweden

**Swedish Musical Selections** 

Challena Gilbert

Jag gör så att blommorra blommar

Sommaren ar min

Presentation of 2006 Svea

Twinkle Peterson Vice President, SAPL San Francisco

**Swedish Dances** 

Vasablad Children's Club #110 Sveaborg lodge #449, Concord

Stacey and Teresa Fassl; Stephanie harmon;
Challena, Markus and Viktoria Gilbert;
Andrea, Kimberly and Zachary Pearson; Katy and madison Blume

Introduction of Maids of Honor

Ted Olsson
Past President, SAPL San Francisco
Musical Accompaniment: Karin Sayegh

**Musical Selection** 

Jan Nordin

Parade to the Maypole & Dancing Around Maypole

Led by Karin Chapin, Jan Nordin and Musicians

Please join in the Procession for Dancing Around the Maypole



Dancing 'Til Midnight at the Dance Floor
to the
Music of DJ, Neal Hemming
and to
Scandinavian Music as played by
Carolyn Anderson, Don Sommerfeld and Harry Talbot

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July 1-2	Annual Tennis and Horseshoe Tournament Dinner and Dancing
July 4	Breakfast sponsored by Svea Lodge Ice Cream social
July 16	Sveadal Club Golf Tournament
July 29	80th Anniversary of Sveadal
July 30	SAPL Meeeting in Sveadal with Elva Kaffee
August 6	East Bay Day
August 12	Sveadal Club Day
August 19	Sveadal Club "Love 30s"
September 2-3	71st Annual Labor Day Weekend
September 23	Closing Dinner



### MIDSUMMER GREETINGS

from the

East Bay Chapter

Swedish American Patriotic League



President: Karin Sayegh

Secretary: Ellen Morrison Treasurer: Walter Nyland



**GLAD MIDSOMMAR** 

### SWEDISH AMERICAN PATRIOTIC LEAGUE EAST BAY CHAPTER

Meetings:2nd WednesdayPresident:Karin Sayegh(925) 283-0421Secretary:Ellen Morrison(510) 653-8897Treasurer:Walter Nyland(925) 946-1815

Framåt Lodge #405 VOA, Berkeley meets 2nd Friday at 7:30 p.m.

St. John's Hall, El Cerrito

Chairman: Maria Helberg (925) 228-0848 Secretary: John Hopkirk (510) 528-0148

Sveaborg Lodge #449 VOA, Concord meets 3rd Friday at 7:30 p.m.

(6:30 p.m. if a meal)

Odd Fellows Hall, 4349 Cowell Rd., Concord

Chairman: Evelyn Ternstrom (925) 279-4301 Secretary: Eva Erickson (925) 939-7907

Swedish Society of Oakland meets 2nd Tuesday

Björnson Hall, 2258 MacArthur Blvd., Oakland

President: Anders Lundgren (510) 658-5423 Secretary: James Nelson (925) 426-1546

Swedish Ladies Society - Jenny Lind, Oakland

President: Genevieve Carlson (925) 687-4786 Secretary: Barbara Malleck (925) 778-4892

Tegner Lodge #149 VOA, Oakland meets 3rd Thursday at 6:30 p.m.

Björnson Hall, 2258 MacArthur Blvd., Oakland

Chairman: Laura Nordendahl (925) 426-4722 Secretary: Elsy Mattsson (925) 833-1749



### SWEDISH AMERICAN PATRIOTIC LEAGUE - EAST BAY CHAPTER

### **Presidents**

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1919-1920	Agnes Anderson	1963-1964	Dr. Albert E. Peterson
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1921-1922	Charles Blom	1965-1966	Bruce Feist
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1935-1936	Emil Wilhelm Gustafson	1979-1980	Anna Lister
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1938-1939	Charles Staberg	1982-1983	Gloria Nelson
1939-1940	Ivar Menton	1983-1984	Bert Nelson
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1941-1942	H. C. Morton	1985-1986	Bert Nelson
1942-1943	Alder Sakrison	1986-1987	Walter Nyland
1943-1944	Matt Johnson	1987-1988	Walter Nyland
1944-1945	Olga Soonson	1988-1989	Walter Nyland
1945-1946	Otto Johnson	1989-1990	Gladys Peterson
1946-1947	Carl W. Peterson	1990-1991	Fred Nichelini
1947-1948	Otto Nordgren	1991-1992	Fred Nichelini
1948-1949	Albert Carlson	1992-1993	Gloria Nelson
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1950-1951	John Peterson	1994-1995	Susan Nelson
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		2005-2006	Karin Sayegh
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### SWEDISH AMERICAN PATRIOTIC LEAGUE EAST BAY CHAPTER

The Swedish American Patriotic League East Bay Chapter was founded in the fall of 1916. The purpose of the East Bay Chapter was to offer the Swedish organizations of the East Bay Area an umbrella alliance similar to that provided to their San Francisco neighbors. Their first president was Aron Wilhelm Gustafson. All of the activities that the San Francisco League engages for their member organizations are duplicated for the East Bay Swedish lodges by the East Bay Chapter. The monthly meetings of this organization gave the individual clubs an opportunity to exchange information about their activities and to join together in efforts for larger celebrations. Many of the Swedish events and entertainments involved both sides of the Bay. The San Francisco League invited East Bay Chapter to become a one third partner in the Sveadal property. They hold four appointments to the Board of Governors. All decisions about the betterment and operation of Sveadal are the responsibility of the Board. The East Bay Chapter is a full partner in the operation of Sveadal, Midsummer Celebration and other activities involving the Swedish people of the greater Bay Area. The organizations that are a part of the East Bay Chapter are: Swedish Society of Oakland, Swedish Ladies-Jenny Lind of Oakland, and the three Vasa Order of America Clubs in the East Bay: Tegnér Lodge No. 149 of Oakland, Framåt Lodge No. 405 of Berkeley and Sveaborg Lodge No. 449 of Concord. The current president of the Oakland League is Karin Sayegh.



### SWEDISH MEN'S SOCIETY OF OAKLAND

The Swedish Men's Society of Oakland was organized in March 1901 with 35 charter members, 18 from Oakland and 17 transferring from the San Francisco Swedish Society. The original purpose was to provide financial assistance to members in time of need. N.G. Lindgren was the first president. They also built Jenny Lind Hall in 1915 for the use of Swedish organizations in the area. The Hall was sold in 1962. The purpose of the Society today is primarily for brotherhood, good fellowship and promoting Swedish culture. They have an annual crab feed, Julbord, and other family activities. Membership is open to all men of Swedish birth, descent or marriage. The membership is now 12. Meetings are held monthly on the second Tuesday. The current president is Anders Lundgren.

### TEGNÉR LODGE VOA NO. 149 OF OAKLAND

Tegnér Lodge was the second Vasa Lodge formed in northern California in 1908. The first chairman was Hilmer Anderson with 20 charter members. The Lodge chose the name in honor of Bishop and poet Esias Tegnér. Membership was open to Swedish men and women by birth, marriage or descent. They had both a men's and women's drill team in the twenties, later a men's choral group, a children's club and a women's sewing group. They held an annual East Bay Jamboree for all the Swedish organizations in the East Bay. Another popular event held was the Hemlandsfesterna - for the inauguration of new members, music, songs, dancing and a classic smörgasbäsbord dinner. The Lodge holds an annual picnic together with Framåt and Sveaborg, a crayfish party and a Lucia Julfest. There are 41 members. Their meetings usually involve a dinner prepared by the members. They meet on the third Thursday of the month. The current chairman is Laura Nordendahl serving her sixth year in this office.



### SWEDISH LADIES SOCIETY JENNY LIND OF OAKLAND

The Swedish Ladies Society Jenny Lind was formed in February 1916 with 38 enthusiastic members. They were soon joined by others to bring membership to 100. Agnes Anderson was selected as their first president. There is some evidence that Sally Benson was selected as a 'past president' and may have served in some capacity that first year. Membership is open to members of Swedish birth, descent or marriage. The club first served as a sick and death benefit to members, but changed to a social club in 1992. They have held dances, Christmas parties, and bazaars. The club commissioned a bust of Jenny Lind in 1918 which graced their meeting hall for 60 years. The sculptor Jean LeVeau was the son of the first Swedish minister to the Swedish Lutheran Church in Oakland. The bust was donated to the Swedish Consulate in 1978 and perhaps migrated to Los Angeles when the change of our consular office to an honorary one. It is no longer in San Francisco. Meetings are held on the second Thursday of the month. There are 12 members of the club and the president is Genevieve Carlson.

### FRAMAT LODGE VOA NO. 405 OF BERKELEY

Framåt Lodge was founded in 1921 under the auspices of Agnes Anderson. The first chairman was Otto Lindberg. Their primary goal is to foster Scandinavian cultural activities, to interest the younger generation in these activities, render financial assistance to elderly members when needed and to support cultural affairs. They are active within the Vasa Order of America, this year co-hosting the District Convention. Their activities include a crayfish party, smörgåsbord, Lucia Fest, picnics and a pea soup and pancake supper. In 1927 they built the Framåt Lodge Building in Berkeley, which served as a meeting place for Scandinavian organizations in the East Bay. The building was sold about 10 years later but remains an excellent example of Classical Revival architecture. The building achieved landmark status by the Landmark Preservation Commission in 1997. The group meets on the second Friday of the month. Members must be of Scandinavian birth, descent or marriage. The membership now stands at 45. The current chairman is Robert Homer.



### SVEABORG LODGE VOA NO. 449 OF CONCORD

Sveaborg Lodge of Concord was organized in 1924 with 17 charter members. Alfred B. Anderson was the first chairman. The primary purpose of the organization is to promote Swedish culture among the descendants of Scandinavian countries. Their goal is to help members become acquainted with the enchanting heritage, traditions and culture of Sweden. In addition to the regular business meetings they serve typical Swedish dishes such as pea soup, Swedish pancakes, crayfish and a full Christmas smörgåsbord. There is a children's club that frequently performs songs and dances at Swedish gatherings. The club awards an annual scholarship and they make an annual donation to a charity. Swedish language classes are held. The club meets monthly on the third Friday. Membership is open to all Scandinavians and their spouses. The current chairman is Evelyn Ternstrom. Membership now stands at 117.



Tack så mycket to Charlotte Weissenborn and the 2006 Midsummer Planning Committee and

to all the volunteers who make this wonderful event possible

Glad Midsommar!
Paul, Linda, Anita Beroza and Paul Frederick Beroza

# The Swedish Ladies Society of San Francisco

and

Our Maid of Honor, Alexandra Talbot

Wish everyone a "Glad Midsommar" 2006



President Ramona Talbot Secretary Jean Stohl Nelson



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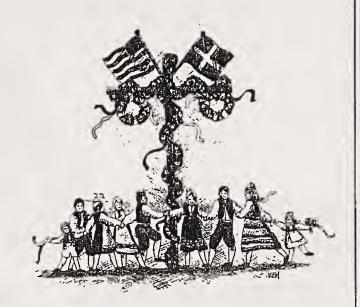
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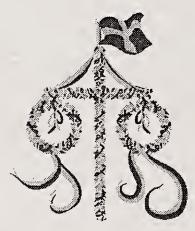


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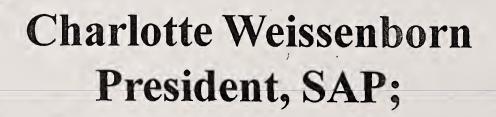


<u>Chairman</u> Anders Lundgren Secretary Jim Nelson

Tack så mycket to all the Volunteers and Midsummer Chairs







## GLAD MIDSOMMAR

Officers and Members of Tegner Lodge, No. 149, VOA



We meet the Third Thursday of the month at Bjornson Hall,

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## Glad Midsommar



Congratulations to Paul and Linda
on the birth of
Paul Frederick

Louise Vogelsberg

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# Congratulations SAPL on your 112th year GLAD MIDSOMMAR



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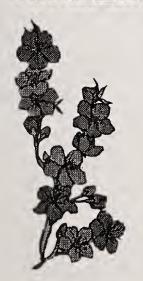
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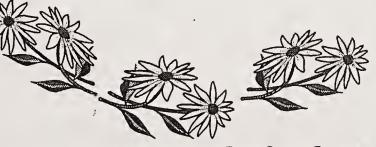
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Glad Midsummer!



Vera and Herb Strom

## Wishing everyone a Glad 112th Midsommar



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## MIDSUMMER GREETINGS



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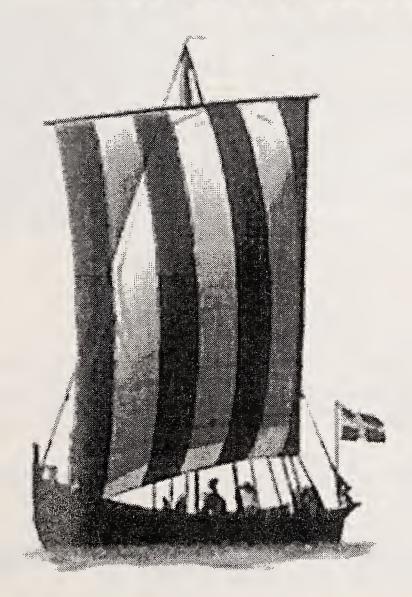
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Parking – Twinkle Peterson

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> Vendors – Susan Bianucci Organizations Table – Steve Wilson

Maypole - Ken Weissenborn

Dancing Around the Maypole – Karin Chapin Swedish Musicians – Jan Nordin

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